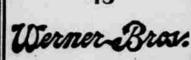


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Suffrage Club's Resolution. At the regular bimonthly meeting of the St. Louis Woman's Equal Suffrage Ciub, at the residence of the vice president, Mrs. G. L. Worth, on Monday, resolutions were adopted on the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton.

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PASTOR AND GIRL DEAD IN CHURCH.

and Gas Jets Turned On, but Not Lighted.

Young Woman Was Missionary Pastor of the Omaha Church at Which He Preached-Suicide or Accident?

> Omaha, Neb., Nov. 5.-The Reverend William C. Rabe, pastor of the German Baptist Church at Twenty-sixth and Seward streets, and Miss Augusta Bush, a young lady living in that neighborhood, were found dead early to-day in a vestibule in the rear

of the church auditorium. The two bodies were locked in embrace and the gus jets were turned on, but not The Reverend Rabe was 65 years of age

and a prominent minister.

Miss Bush was about 28 years old and was missionary paster of the church. She came here five years ago from a Chicago Missionary College, and has worked with the Reverend Mr. Rabe since. Last night she did not return to her home as usual, and Oscar Berndes, junitor of the church, at whose home Miss Bush lived, started in search of her In the pastor's room, at the rear of the

pulpit, Berndes discovered the dead bodies of the paster and the young woman, and the room filled with diluminating gas. A gas stove was turned on full force, as were also several gas jets.

The Coroner was immediately notified and took charge of the bodies and will conduct an investigation. It is believed to be a case of double suicide. The Reverend Rabe accepted the call to

this city last January, coming here from Buffalo, N. Y. He had also lived in Newark, N. J. He was well liked by the members of his congregation and was considered an excellent pastor. He leaves a widow and one son, both of whom reside in New Yerk City, where his wife it attending a missionary college. The parishioners scout the idea of suicide, and believe it was an

In the room where the bodies were found. which was used as a study, were found an open letter relating to church business, the young woman's gloves and a number of religious books and papers.

MISS BUSH'S CHICAGO RECORD. Chicago, Nov. 5.—Officers of the Baptist Missionary Training School of this city refused to give credence to the report from Omaha that Miss Augusta Bush, a former student in the college, was found dead in that city to-day under suspicious circumstances. Miss Bush came to Chicago in 1895 and enarise busin came to Chicago in 1890 and en-tered the training school, where she took a two years' course in Bible study, grad-uating from the institution in 1897. Since going to Omaha she had been doing good work, according to reperts received by the executives of the school here.

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CARRIE NATION IN A WRECK. Black Diamond Express Collided

With Engine on a Siding. New York, Nov. 5.—The Black Diamond Express of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, which left Jersey City westward bound at 12:12 p. m. to-day, was wrecked near the Jersey Mendows shops, east of Newark, about 12:20 p. m., and fifteen people were more or less eriously but, one coach and the engine being overturned.

The seriously injured were taken to a hospital. The express ran on a siding and collided with an engine standing there. One of the passengers hurt was Mrs. Carrie Nation of Kansas. Her hand was slightly cut and her arm badly bruised.

Asks Denial of Suicide Report.

William C. Roos, 23 years old, of No. 2749 Chippewa street, after a year's inaction in the case, has called upon the police to assist him in disproving the report that he had attempted to commit suicide in Tower Grove Port in the suit brought.

The members of the Suburban Railway to deny the use of their property for the posting of signs. The estorney for the Building Commissioner has stated that he will make an effort to have the ordinances relative to biliboards so amended as to be more effective.

The committee has taken the position that when the present ordinances are complied with they are satisfactory. It was recorded that the advertising companies have of late shown a disposition to do this, as all boards recently erected have been in accordance with the ordinances.

Correspondence has been had with various cities reactive to the means employed in obviating the nuisance. In New York there is an ordinance pending to limit the height of boards on the ground to ten feet, and those the companies have fought the companies have fought the companies have fought the companies have for barries of the successful in 1901, but the city was continued in the committee of signs. The estories for the growth and the and the and the man a

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August Manewal's Estate.

An inventory of the estate of August Manewal, filed in probate yesterday, describes property at Broadway and Wright street and other real estate, and a personal estate of \$116, 190.25. The personalty consists of stock in the National Biscuit Company, \$116.000; United States bonds, \$100.000; cash, \$40.121, and \$1,209.25 of other personal property.

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pas, up to \$300. MERMOD & JACCARD'S, Broadway, cor. Locust.

Shot Himself in the Mouth John Schiller, who gave his residence at No. 1200 Spruce street, attempted suicide yesterday morning by shooting himself in the mouth. The bullet passed through the left cheek. When he was taken to the City Hospital he could not tell his name. He had been drinking heavily several days.

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Euchre at Jafferson Club. A suchre will be given at the Jefferson Club Hall on Friday evening. November 14, for the benefit of several destitute families. Mrs. Cornelius Lynch of Morgan street, assisted by lady friends, has the seffair in charge, and has secured many pretty and useful prices for distribution among the winners.

Defective Fine Causes Fire. A defective fine caused a fire veneral atteraces at the series of the first Ready. The servant girl's creams aroused the family, and with considerable difficulty the flames were extinguished. Neighbors saw the flames and the slarm was turned on, but the engines were not used.

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Suce for Extra Improvements. The Hill-O'Merra Construction Company filed soit in the Circuit Court yesterday against the Locust Street Building Company for \$44.474.56, which, it is claimed, is due on account for the erection of the building at the northeast corner of Eighth and Locust streets. The amount is for improvements which, it is alleged, were made in addition to those contemplated in the plans.

W. R. C. Euchre. The John A. Logan W. R. C. will give a sucher at Lindell Hotel this afternoon at 3

WILL COMPLAIN TO THE UNITED STATES

Bodies Locked in Tight Embrace | Federal Party of Porto Rico Claims Laws of Island Are Made for the Republicans.

HE WAS SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OLD. MOB FORCE AT THE POLLS.

Declare Many of Their Organization Were Prevented by Intimidation From Voting at Tuesday's Election.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Nov. 5.—There were no scrious disorders anywhere in Porto Rico yesterday. The election, which resulted in a sweeping Republican victory, passed off quietty. This was largely due to the fact that Governor Hunt sunt twenty-two special representatives, covering the whole Island, with plenary powers to adjust differences summarily. ifferences summarily.
Federico Degetau was re-elected Resident
commissioner at Washington by a large ma-

jority.

The Federals have ten delegates in the Legislature and the Republicans twentyfive.

In the most turbulent districts and cities, Guayama, Cayey, San Lorenzo, Albonito and others, the Federals, through intimidation, abstained entirely from voting, and lost five Delegates to the Legislature.

Fraud was charged everywhere and the Government has promised prompt prosecutions.

The American Federal party, through its president, Mr. Palmer, to-day issued a proclamation complaining bitterly of what is termed the partiality of the Government in favoring the Republicans in the election yesterday. The proclamation reviews the party's causes of compainit and declares that a manifesto will be issued to the people of the United States, accompanied by particulars and proofs of the alleged outrages. President Palmer was questioned concerning this plan to-day. He said:

"The idea of the committee is to call a mass meeting in San Juan shortly and then to choose four delegates, two of whom are to be Americans, to go to Washington and lay the party's grievances before President Roosevelt and ask redress.

"Our principal complaints are that the laws are made for the Republicans and administered in their favor; the outrages and undisguised action of the Executive Council in turning over the elections to the Republicans, the general partiality of the Government; the crimes of the insular police in counternancing lawlessness and mob force, intimidating and driving the best citizens away from the island; gross election frauds and the shutting out of the members of the Federal party from the elections, and failure to take measures to right wrongs." tions. WILL ISSUE MANIFESTO.

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WILL MAKE AN EFFORT TO REGULATE BILLBOADS.

Civic Improvement League Seeks Cooperation of Mullanphy Board in Its Crusade Against Signs.

At a moeting of the Sign and Signboard Committee of the Civio Improvement League, held yesterday afternoon in the lengue's offices, it was reported that the committee was working to secure the cooperation of the Muliamphy Board in denying the use of city property for hillboard purposes. The Muliamphy Board is now considering the proposition.

The league argues that because of the unsightly appearance of the bill boards and the small remuneration they bring the city they should be abolished.

The committee will also ask the aid of all residents along the Suburban Railway to dany the use of their property for the posting of signs. The attorney for the Building Commissioner has stated that he will make an effort to have the ordinances relative to biliboards so amended as to be more effective.

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The members of the committee present at yesterday's meeting were John H. Roth. John Lawrence Mauran, George W. Lubke, Jr., and Earle Layman, G. G. Schnepp, attorney for the Building Commissioner, was also present.

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WOMAN FORCES A THIEF TO GIVE UP STOLEN GOODS.

Mrs. Strittmatters Follows Man and Recovers Money and Hat Stolen From Her.

Mrs. Adolph Strittmatters followed a thief who had entered her home at 1799 Austin street Tuesday evening and, grappling with him on the street, made him give up his plunder.

plunder.

Mrs. Strittmatters was busy with her housework when she heard a noise in one of the front rooms. She went to investigate, As she reached the front room she saw a man running out the front door. She gave chase.

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At Eighteenth street Mra Strittmatters overtook the fugitive, a man slim of stature, and with a few well-directed blows that set his ears to tingling, she caused him a drop a hat and a small savings bank which contained 550.

When she saw the bank fall to the street Mrs. Strittmatters stooped to pick it up. This zave the thief an advantase, and he jerked away from her and ran. Satisfied with the recovery of the hat and money. Mrs. Strittmatters did not follow. She went to the Central District Police Station and reported the theft to the police.

Mrs. Strittmatters gave the police the name of the man who stole the hat and bank. It is said that his home is in East St. Leuis.

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THREE MEN ARE KILLED IN TEXAS STREET FIGHT.

City Marshal, a Deputy Marshal and . & Clerk Shot to Death at Oranire.

REPUBLIC EFFICIAL.

Orange Tex., Nov. B.—City Marshal John Jordan, Deputy Marshal Jeff Chamault and Tony Jones were shot to death on the street here this afternoon. Will Harris has been arrested.

Chenault was standing in the door of a saloon when he was shot with a shot an incaded with buckshot. The side of his head was almost torn off and he fell dead in his tracks. A brother of Chanault opened fire on the essellant, but missed.

City Marshal Jordan started to the jail with his prisoner when a shot laid him low. It is not known who fired the shot. Harris ran Eway and went to the house of a relative, where he was captured a short time affarwards.

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DEATH OF JAMES SWENEY, VETERAN MAN OF AFFAIRS.

He Had Lived in St. Louis Nearly Half a Century and Was Well Known.

James Sweney of No. 29% Gamble street, who had been engaged in business in this city for nearly half a century, died at his home yeaserday morning. He was 79 years old and leaves seven children.

The funeral will take place to-morrow from St. Bridget's Catholic Church, corner of Carr street and Jefferson avenue, of which Mr. Sweney had been a member for many years, Eurisi will be in Calvary Cemetery. Among the older business men of this city James Sweney was very well known. Until his retirement from active commercial life, about two years ago, he was the head of the James Sweney Copper and Brass Company.

He was born in Milton, Pa., August 12, 1822. Shortly after his birth his parents re-



JAMES SWENEY.

One of the planeer business men of St. Louis, who died yesterday at his home, No. 2925 Gamble street. moved to Philadelphia, where they remained until Mr. Sweney was 13 years old. The family then came to St. Louis, and Mr. Sweney had since resided here.

He was a Democrat and for many years took an active interest in politics. He was a member of the Board of Water Commissioners until that body was abolished, and served for several years on the Mullanphy Board.

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Mr. Sweney is survived by the following children: James P. Sweney, Mrs. Mary Belle Kane, Miss Hannah Sweney, Paul J. Sweney, Mark B. Sweney, who lives in Chicago; Frank L. Sweney of Sedalia, and Alfred V. Sweney, who is connected with the Merchants-Laclede Bank.

The pallbearers have been selected as follows from among the old friends of Mr. Sweney, Michael McEnnis, Michael Hallack, Francis LaPere, Captain Joseph Boyce, Colonel John McFall, Captain I. N. Masen, D. A. Brisiln and Zacharlah W. Tinker.

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REMANDED WITHOUT BAIL Allan G. Mason Suspected of Being

Boston's "Jack the Slugger."

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 5.—Allen G. Masen, who was arrested yesterday on suspicion of having committed an associat on Miss Gara A. Morton in Waverly last Saturday night, causing Miss Morton's death to-day was held for further hearing on the charge in the Third District Court for Eastern Middlesex.

The White-scool last night to be the intension of the police to release the man to-day, as they had been camble to make out a case against him. But it is claimed that new phases brought to light this morning warrantee a change in procedure. Mason was remanded without ball.

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up to \$6.00. Venetian Hanging Lamps, \$5.50 up to \$18.60. Stately Hall Clocks, \$17.00 to \$500.00. Curious bits of Zsolnay Pottery—almost de-fying classification—33.50 up to \$42.00.

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